IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.RAMKUMAR

WEDNESDAY, THE 13TH JUNE 2007 / 23RD JYAISHTA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 3496 of 2007()

CRIME NO.664/2006 OF KOTTARAKKARA POLICE STATION

PETITIONER/2ND ACCUSED:

PRAKASH, S/O. KOCHUKUNJU,
KALLUMPURATHU VEEDU, AMBALAKKARA MURI,
VALAKOM VILLAGE, KOTTARAKARA TALUK,KOLLAM DIST.

BY ADV. SRI.B.MOHANLAL

RESPONDENTS: COMPLAINANT:

STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY THE DETECTIVE INSPECTOR,CBCID,
SIG-I, CFS UNIT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM THROUGH
THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA,
ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.P.N.SUKUMARAN

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 13/06/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

V.RAMKUMAR, J

B.A.NO.3496 of 2007

Dated this the 13th day of June, 2007

ORDER

Petitioner who is the second accused in Crime No.664/2006 of Kottarakkara Police Station for an offence punishable under Section 489(B) and (C) of IPC and subsequently taken over by the CBCID and registered as Crime No.317/CR/S1/2006 of CBCID, SIG-I, CFS Unit, Thiruvananthapuram seeks his enlargement on bail.

2. Learned Public Prosecutor opposed the application submitting inter alia that the counterfeit note of Rs.500/= denomination was not recovered from the petitioner but from the first accused who is alleged to have confessed to the police that it was supplied to him by the petitioner herein. The custodial interrogation of the petitioner did not result in the recovery of any counterfeit note from the petitioner who has been in custody from 1.6.2007.

3. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, I am inclined to grant bail to the petitioner but only from a future date. Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail with effect from 25.6.2007, on his executing a bond for Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees

twenty thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like amount to the satisfaction of the J.F.C.M.-I, Kottarakkara, and subject to the following conditions:

(a). The petitioner shall report before the Investigating Officer between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on all Wednesdays.

(b). The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation as and when required by the police till the filing of the final report.

(c) The petitioner shall not influence or intimidate the prosecution witnesses nor shall he attempt to tamper with the evidence for the prosecution.

(d). The petitioner shall not commit any offence while on bail.

If the petitioner commits breach of any of the above conditions, the bail granted to him shall be liable to be cancelled.

This application is allowed as above.

V.RAMKUMAR, JUDGE.

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